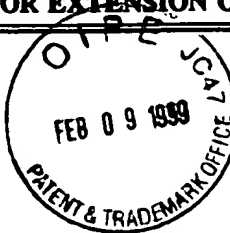


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 129249-2
	In re Application of <u>Ming Li et al.</u>	
	Application Number <u>08/974,179</u>	Filed <u>11/19/97</u> TECHNOLOGY CENTER 3700
	For <u>IMPROVED METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRIMMING ALUMINUM SHEET</u>	
	Gross Fee Unit <u>3724</u>	Examiner <u>C. Dexter</u>

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ <u>110.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is:	\$ _____
A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:	
<input type="checkbox"/> is enclosed.	
<input type="checkbox"/> has already been filed in this application.	
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.	
<input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>02-2556</u> . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.	

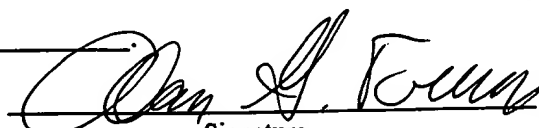
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